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**METHOD OF CALCULATING NOISE FROM MULTIPLE DIGITAL
IMAGES UTILIZING COMMON NOISE CHARACTERISTICS**

The specification of which (check only one item below):

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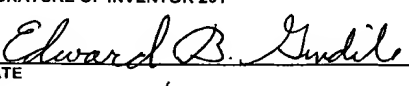
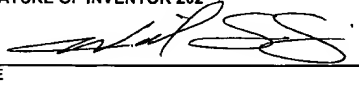
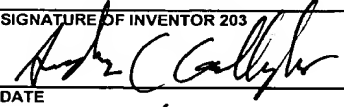
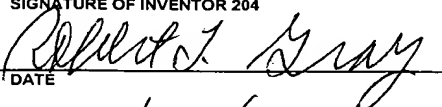
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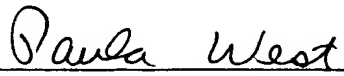
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